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**SECOND AMENDMENT AND REPLY UNDER 37 CFR 1.116**

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Sir:

This communication responds to the Final Office Action dated March 25, 2005. A response was filed September 26, 2005, with a Notice of Appeal and a Terminal Disclaimer, and a check of \$825.00 for fees. The Office mailed an Advisory Action on October 18, 2005, indicating that the amendments in the response would not be entered because claims 7-10 remained rejected. However the Office indicated claims 1-4 and 48 were allowable. This Second Amendment and Reply Under 37 CFR 1.116 is now submitted after an Examiner Interview of November 28, 2005, where the Examiner agreed to consider proposed amendments to claims 7-10.

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Applicants have enclosed with this amendment a Petition for Extension of Time to make this response timely.

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**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this document. This amendment adds, changes and/or deletes claims in this application. A detailed listing of all claims that are, or were, in the application, irrespective of whether the claim(s) remain under examination in the application, is presented, with an appropriate defined status identifier.

**Remarks** begin on page 34 of this document.